

**California Regional Blueprint Planning Grant
Fact Sheet
San Luis Obispo Council of Governments**



Project Goal

Develop Blueprint Plan that will address the region's 20-year mobility, housing and employment needs as they relate to the regional transportation plan. The focus is to provide a forum and framework for the coordination and integration of local planning efforts with regional and state goals and objectives to integrate transportation, housing, land use, environmental resources, infrastructure development, and services. The objective is to be able to have a sufficient housing supply developed to accommodate natural population increases and workforce needs for the full spectrum of the population and to provide consumers more housing and transportation choices.

Project Description

In collaboration with the San Luis Obispo County Air Pollution Control District; Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCO); the Cal Poly GIS Technology Lab; County Planning and Building Department; County Agriculture Commissioner's Office; and the Countywide Planning/ Community Development Directors, the following will be accomplished:

- Prepare a Draft Vision Statement using the issues identified at the Focus on the Future, Designing the Future, and It Takes our Region Conferences, the Compact 2000 efforts and the smart growth elements of member jurisdiction's General Plans.
- Evaluate key transportation, housing, economic, resource and pollution issues that were addressed in the Fall 2005 workshops.
- Survey the community regarding transportation and growth related issues; work with member agencies to refine policies and actions; and provide member jurisdictions the tools to conduct effective public participation programs.
- Conduct regional land use-transportation modeling that incorporates long-range socio-economic projections for analysis of potential areas of impact (using UPLAN or IPLACES model).

Grant Award: \$226,800 for FY 2005/06

\$325,000 for FY 2006/07

Total \$551,800

Products

- Integrate input from the Travel Model Workshop
- GIS Modeling, Mapping and Data Management
- Summary Report and Completion of Community 2050 Regional Blueprint grant #1

Who Benefits

General public, state and local governments, private business, and community at large.



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